

NOTES: Section 2.3 – Graph Equations of Lines

- Goals: #1 – I can graph linear equations from slope-intercept form.
- #2 – I can graph linear equations from standard form.
- #3 – I can graph horizontal and vertical lines.
- #4 – I can graph linear equations from any form.



Homework: Lesson 2.3 Worksheet

Warm Up:

1. Find the slope of the line passing through the points. Then tell whether the lines rises, falls, is horizontal or is vertical.
 - a. (7, 8), (-8, 8)

$$m = \frac{8-8}{7-(-8)} = \frac{0}{15} = 0 \quad \boxed{\text{horizontal}}$$

2. Tell whether the lines are *parallel*, *perpendicular*, or *neither*.
 - a. Line 1: through (-9, 3) and (0, 4)
 - Line 2: through (3, -4) and (2, 5)

$$\text{Line 1: } m = \frac{4-3}{0-(-9)} = \frac{1}{9} \quad \boxed{\text{perpendicular}}$$

$$\text{Line 2: } m = \frac{5-(-4)}{2-3} = \frac{9}{-1} = -9$$

3. A skateboard ramp has a run of 24 feet and a rise of 2 feet. What is the slope of the ramp?

$$\frac{2}{24} = \boxed{\frac{1}{12}}$$

Exploration #1: Work with a partner.

1. What does the *slope-intercept form* of a line mean?

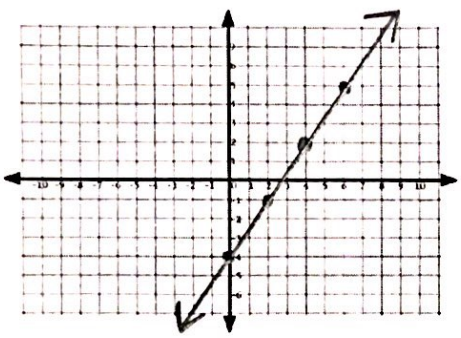
2. What do all the variables represent?

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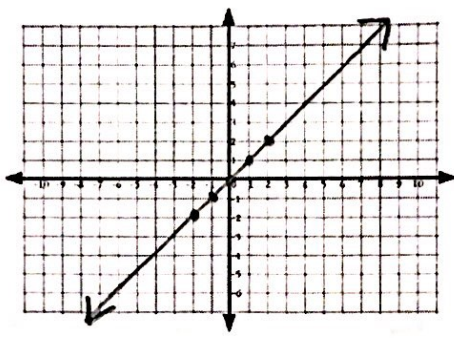
Any linear equation in the form $y = mx + b$ is said to be in slope-intercept form.
 slope \leftarrow m \rightarrow y-intercept \leftarrow b

Example #1: Graph the following equations:

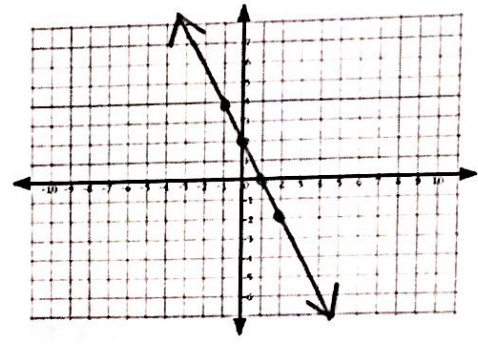
1. $y = \frac{3}{2}x - 4$
 slope: $\frac{3}{2}$ y-int: -4



2. $y = x$
 slope: 1 y-int: 0

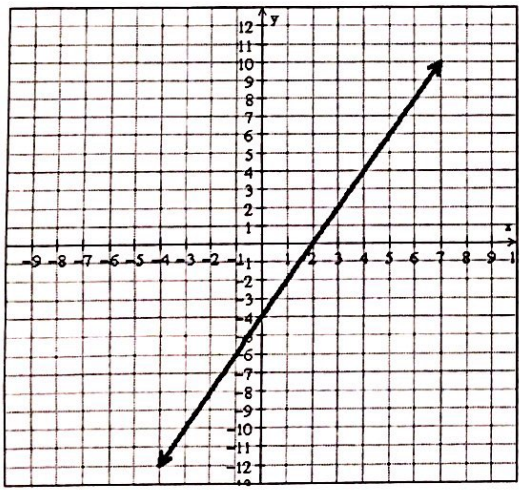


3. $y = -x + 2$
 slope: -1 y-int: 2



Exploration #2: Work with a partner.

1. What do you know about an *x-intercept*?
2. What do you know about a *y-intercept*?
3. What would the *x*- and *y*-intercepts of this graph be? Write as an ordered pair.



x-intercept: $(2, 0)$

y-intercept: $(0, -4)$

4. What does the *standard form* of a line mean?

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The x-intercept is the point where a graph intersects the x-axis. The y value for the x-intercept is always 0. (#, 0)

The y-intercept is the point where a graph intersects the y-axis. The x value for the y-intercept is always 0. (0, #)

Any linear equation in the form $Ax + By = C$ is said to be in standard form.

Example #2: Find the x- and y-intercepts of the line with the given equation. Write your intercepts as ordered pairs. x-int: (y=0)

1. $x - y = 3$

$x - 0 = 3$
 $x = 3$

x-intercept: (3, 0) y-int: (x=0)

y-intercept: (0, -3) $0 - y = 3$
 $-y = 3$
 $y = -3$

2. $2x + 4y = 16$

x-int: (y=0)
 $2x + 4(0) = 16$
 $2x = 16$
 $x = 8$

x-intercept: (8, 0)

y-intercept: (0, 4) y-int: (x=0)
 $2(0) + 4y = 16$
 $4y = 16$
 $y = 4$

Example #3: Graph the following equations using its x- and y-intercepts. Write your intercepts as ordered pairs. x-int: (y=0)

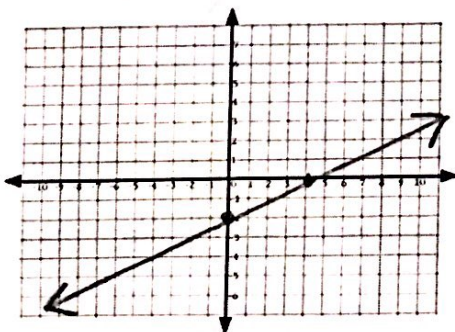
1. $3x - 6y = 12$

$3x - 6(0) = 12$
 $3x = 12$
 $x = 4$

x-intercept: (4, 0)

y-intercept: (0, -2) y-int: (x=0)

$3(0) - 6y = 12$
 $-6y = 12$
 $y = -2$



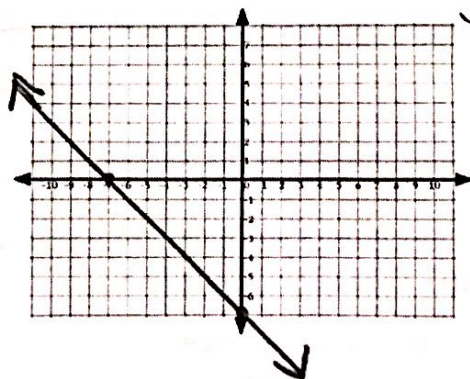
2. $-x - y = 7$

x-int: (y=0)
 $-x - 0 = 7$
 $-x = 7$
 $x = -7$

x-intercept: (-7, 0)

y-intercept: (0, -7)

y-int: (x=0)
 $-0 - y = 7$
 $-y = 7$
 $y = -7$



CHALLENGE: Try and come up with different methods to graph those same equations.

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Exploration #3: Work with a partner.

1. Draw some *vertical* lines. How could you model this line?
2. Draw some *horizontal* line. How could you model this line?

CHALLENGE: What are the slopes of the lines you drew?

Notes:

Equations of vertical lines are written as: $x = \#$

Picture:



Equations of horizontal lines are written as: $y = \#$

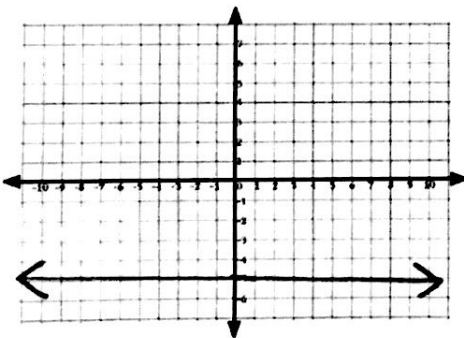
Picture:



$$\begin{aligned}
 4x &= -15 - 3y \\
 +3y & \quad +3y \\
 3y + 4x &= -15 \\
 -4x & \quad -4x \\
 \frac{3y}{3} &= \frac{-4x - 15}{3}
 \end{aligned}$$

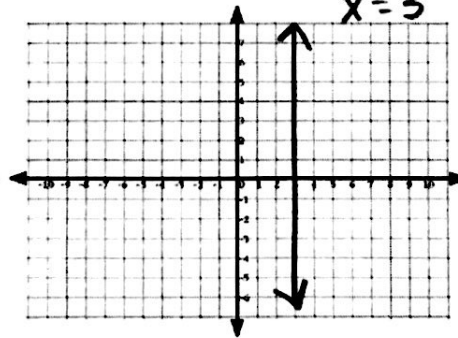
Example #4: Graph the following lines using any method.

1. $y = -5$

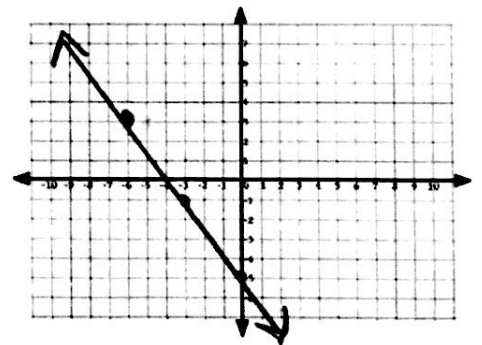


2. $7x = 21$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{7x}{7} &= \frac{21}{7} \\
 x &= 3
 \end{aligned}$$



3. $4x = -15 - 3y$ $y = -\frac{4}{3}x - 5$



Example #5: Rewrite the equations in the form that we could use to graph the line. You DO NOT need to graph the line.

1. $-4x = 3y + 24$

$$\begin{aligned}
 -3y - 3y & \\
 -3y - 4x &= 24 \\
 +4x \quad +4x & \\
 -3y &= 4x + 24 \\
 \frac{-3y}{-3} &= \frac{4x + 24}{-3}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$y = -\frac{4}{3}x - 8$$

2. $-8y = 2x + 11$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{-8y}{-8} &= \frac{2x + 11}{-8} \\
 y &= -\frac{2}{8}x - \frac{11}{8}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$y = -\frac{1}{4}x - \frac{11}{8}$$